

Phoenix dactylifera (Phoenicaceae), 47229. **Date palm.** From Tripoli. Seeds presented by Dr. O. Fenzi, Director, Stabilimento Orticolo Libico, Tripoli, Tripoli. "**Tabuni.** Season, late August to mid-December. The commonest kind in the Oasis of Tripoli; fruit small to medium in size, olive shaped, with very thin skin, pulp fiberless and more sugary than 'Bayudi.'" (Fenzi.)

Phoenix dactylifera (Phoenicaceae), 47302. **Date palm.** From Tripoli. Seeds presented by Dr. O. Fenzi, Director, Stabilimento Orticolo Libico, Tripoli, Tripoli. "**Bayudi.** Ripening as early as August. Fruit large, cylindrical; pulp rather sweet, but somewhat fibrous." (Fenzi.)

Phoenix dactylifera (Phoenicaceae), 47303. **Date palm.** From Tripoli. Seeds presented by Dr. O. Fenzi, Director, Stabilimento Orticolo Libico, Tripoli, Tripoli. "**Bronsi.** One of the latest varieties, rarely ripening before October. Fruits large to very large, bright crimson in color, turning to shining black at maturity; pulp of extra good quality." (Fenzi.)

Prunus serrulata (Amygdalaceae), 47132-45. **Flowering cherry.** From Japan. Cuttings purchased from the Yokohama Nursery Company, Yokohama.

Ariyake. (47132). Branches brown-gray, young leaves yellow-brown, inflorescence in two- to four-flowered long-pedunculate false umbels, blossoms white or delicate pink. Single and slightly double blossoms appear on the same tree. Blossoms in mid-April. (Adapted from Miyoshi, Japanische Bergkirschen, p. 98, under *P. serrulata* f. *candida*.) "Flowers pale pink, single or semi-double, very large and fragrant. This is a very striking form." (Wilson, The Cherries of Japan, p. 51, under *P. lannesiana*, f. *ariake*.)

Choshu-hizakura. (47133). A medium-sized tree with spreading top, brown-gray twigs, young leaves deep red, inflorescence in two- to four-flowered pedunculate umbels or corymbs, flowers 4 centimeters ($1\frac{1}{2}$ in.) in diameter and uniformly rose-color. The red young leaves and rose-colored flowers make this cherry very attractive. Blossoming time, mid-April. (Adapted from Miyoshi, Japanische Bergkirschen p. 121, under *P. serrulata* f. *splendens*.) "Flowers pink, single or semi-double. This form is of little horticultural interest." (Wilson, The Cherries of Japan, p. 51. & Suppl. ii. under *P. serrulata* var. *sachalinensis*, f. *choshiuhizakura*.)